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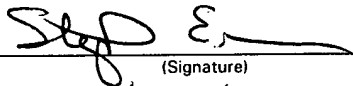
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Form PTO-892 and Form PTO-1449 from related United States Application
Serial No. 10/202,427, filed 07/22/2002; and

Form PTO-892 from related United States Application Serial No.
09/779,396 filed February 7, 2001, now United States Patent No. 6,423,780
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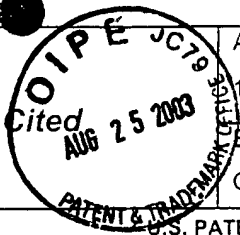
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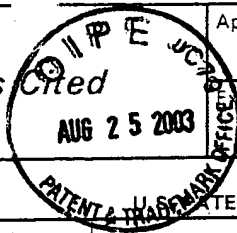
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